

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF WISCONSIN

Investigation to Explore the Potential for
Geologic Carbon Sequestration for Carbon
Dioxide Produced by Wisconsin's Electricity
Generation Fleet

Docket No. 5-EI-145

**WISCONSIN PUBLIC POWER INC.'S REQUEST TO INTERVENE
AND NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(2m) and Wis. Admin. Code § PSC 2.21(3), Wisconsin Public Power Inc. ("WPPI") hereby files its request to intervene and notice of appearance in the above-captioned matter.

STATEMENT OF INTEREST

1. WPPI is a municipal electric company pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 66.0825 that is headquartered in Sun Prairie, Wisconsin. WPPI supplies wholesale power and energy to 50 member distribution systems, including 41 municipal members in Wisconsin. Each of WPPI's members in Wisconsin provides electric service at retail under rates that are regulated by the Public Service Commission of Wisconsin (PSCW).

2. The Notice of Investigation in this matter states that the Commission will explore the potential for geologic carbon sequestration for carbon dioxide produced by Wisconsin's electricity generation fleet.

3. WPPI owns electric generating facilities and purchases power from electric generating facilities in Wisconsin. The Commission's findings and decisions in this investigation may affect the cost and type of generation developed in Wisconsin in the future and therefore may affect the wholesale power costs that WPPI must pass on to its members, and

ultimately, its members' retail customers. Accordingly, WPPI has a substantial interest in this investigation.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

Anderson & Kent, S.C. hereby files a Notice of Appearance in this proceeding on behalf of WPPI. We request that all further communications and correspondence be served on the following:

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CONCLUSION

For these reasons set forth above, WPPI requests that the Commission grant its request to intervene in this proceeding.

Dated this 7th day of May, 2008.

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